Order

Michigan Supreme Court Lansing, Michigan

March 30, 2018

Stephen J. Markman, Chief Justice

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Brian K. Zahra
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Justices

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN, Plaintiff-Appellant,

SC: 156223 COA: 327296

Kalamazoo CC: 2014-000714-FC

BRIAN KEITH ROBERTS,
Defendant-Appellee.

On order of the Court, the application for leave to appeal the June 6, 2017 judgment of the Court of Appeals is considered. We direct the Clerk to schedule oral argument on whether to grant the application or take other action. MCR 7.305(H)(1).

The appellant shall file a supplemental brief within 42 days of the date of this order addressing whether the Court of Appeals correctly held that the defendant was denied the effective assistance of trial counsel. *Strickland v Washington*, 466 US 668; 104 S Ct 2052; 80 L Ed 2d 674 (1984). In addition to the brief, the appellant shall electronically file an appendix conforming to MCR 7.312(D)(2). In the brief, citations to the record must provide the appendix page numbers as required by MCR 7.312(B)(1). The appellee shall file a supplemental brief within 21 days of being served with the appellant's brief. The appellee shall also electronically file an appendix, or in the alternative, stipulate to the use of the appendix filed by the appellant. A reply, if any, must be filed by the appellant within 14 days of being served with the appellee's brief. The parties should not submit mere restatements of their application papers.



I, Larry S. Royster, Clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the order entered at the direction of the Court.

March 30, 2018

